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~~29. The method of claim 28, wherein the alloimmune response is a human anti-HLA alloimmune response.~~

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30. The method of claim 27, for treating or preventing a disease selected from the group consisting of systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE), sjögren's syndrome, scleroderma myositis, Raynaud's syndrome, type 1 diabetes, arthritis and rheumatoid arthritis, inflammatory bowel disease, uveitis, myasthenia gravis, multiple sclerosis, idiopathic thrombocytopenic purpura and graft vs host disease as well as allergies which are dependent on T cells.

31. A method for testing *in vivo* effects of an immunotherapy or inhibition of a human antibody response in an immunodeficient mouse model of human alloimmunization, comprising subjecting the mouse to immunotherapy or inhibition of a human antibody response, said mouse being an immunodeficient mouse and reconstituted with human peripheral blood lymphocytes (PBL) from donors.

32. The method of claim 31, wherein the immunodeficient mouse is  $\gamma$ -irradiated and asialoGM<sub>1</sub> treated for enhancing cellular engraftment.


33. The method of claim 31, wherein the donors are sensitized to HLA antigens.--

#### REMARKS

Claim 1 has been canceled and new claims 24-33 added. Support for these new claims can be found throughout the specification and their entry is respectfully requested.

Early examination and allowance is respectfully requested.

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